

SUB-ZERO TEMPERATURE DRIVING TIPS

Extreme cold weather can make a definite impact on your vehicle. It's important to pay extra attention once the temperature drops below zero.

Check your tire pressure

Tires begin to lose pressure once temperatures drop, causing uneven tread wear. Make sure to also check the spare.

No need to warm up

Modern cars are ready to be driven right away even if they have been sitting out in the cold. In addition you should never leave your vehicle unattended while the engine is running as vehicle theft increases during the winter months.

Keep your gas tank at least half full

Water moisture in your fuel line can become icy and freeze. Also consider low-viscosity oil as it flows easier through moving parts.

Have the exhaust system checked

Carbon monoxide leaks can be especially dangerous in the winter when driving with the windows closed.

Consider purchasing cold weather accessories

Winter windshield wipers, cold weather washer fluid and antifreeze will all be more effective against sub-zero temps.

